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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPELLANTS: Francisco Sanchez-Madrid, *et al.* Confirmation No.: 1583
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/770,639 EXAMINER: Skelding, Zachary S.
FILING DATE: February 2, 2004 ART UNIT: 1644
FOR: IMMUNE REGULATION BASED ON THE TARGETING OF EARLY ACTIVATION MOLECULES

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a five-month extension of time in response to a Final Office Action dated August 15, 2007 and Advisory Action dated March 26, 2008 in the above-identified application. With the extension, a response is due on or before September 15, 2008. Payment in the amount of \$1,115.00, in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3) is filed herewith.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Attorney Reference No. 27331-501CIP2A.

Respectfully submitted,



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